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Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, 5,000,000 Dollars.
Reserve Fund, 1,500,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—The Hon. W. KESWICK.
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HONGKONG, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
MANAGER,
SHANGHAI, EWEEN CAMERON, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS—London and Country Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.
On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Office of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East,
Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP—\$5,200,000.
RESERVE FUND—\$800,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, Rue de la Harpe, PARIS.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at:
LONDON, BOULON, SAN FRANCISCO, MANZILLAS, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, NANTES, SHANGHAI, PEKING.

LONDON BANKERS:
THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be described on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

E. G. VOULLEMONT,
Manager, Shanghai.
Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

Paid-up Capital—£1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.
At 3 months' notice 5 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " " 4 " "
" 12 " " 3 " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT,
Acting Manager.
Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

The following Rates of Interest are allowed on Fixed Deposits:—
For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " "
" 3 " 3 " "

H. H. NELSON,
Manager.
Hongkong, May 31, 1879.

Banks.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL—£200,000.
RESERVE FUND—£150,000.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE CITY BANK.
THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.
On Current Accounts, 3 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Registered in London under the Companies' Act of 1862, on 23rd March, 1866.

Established in Calcutta 20th September, 1863.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL—£233,000.
PAID-UP CAPITAL—£465,250.
RESERVE FUND—£20,000.

HEAD OFFICE—39A, Threadneedle Street, LONDON, E.C.

LONDON BANKERS:
NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND.
NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balances; and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement—the maximum rate being 5 per cent. per annum.

R. H. SANDEMAN,
Manager.
Hongkong, November 1, 1879.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
THE BUSINESS CONDUCTED by me in Bombay, both independently of, and in connection with, the Firms of Messrs E. D. SASSOON & Co. of China, will from this date, be carried on under the Style or Firm of E. D. SASSOON & Co.

E. D. SASSOON.
WITH Reference to the above, We have this Day Admitted Mr. JACOB ELIAS SASSOON and Mr. SASSOON JACOB DAVID as PARTNERS in our Firms in Bombay and China.

E. D. SASSOON & Co.
Bombay, 1st January, 1880. fe26

NOTICE.
MR. W. DETHMERS has been authorized to SIGN our Firm for Procurement.

RADECKER & Co.
Hongkong, January 31, 1880. mal

NOTICE.
MR. N. C. STEVENS is hereby authorized to SIGN our Name by Procurement at AMOY, the Power held by Mr. STEWELL CEASING from this date.

RUSSELL & Co.
China, February 9, 1880. my11

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.
FROM THIS DATE, and during the absence of Mr. W. H. RAY from the Colony, Mr. B. GOLDSMITH has been appointed ACTING SECRETARY to the Company.

H. H. NELSON,
Chairman.
Hongkong, February 21, 1880. ma21

NOTICE.
THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. LEONHARD STAEL in our Firm CEASING on the 31st December last.

Mr. F. C. DITTMER is authorized to SIGN our Firm for Procurement.

HESSE & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1880.

NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Agents.
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, Sept. 3, 1879. See80

FOR SALE.
THEOPHILE ROEDERER & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, awarded the GOLD MEDAL at the PARIS EXHIBITION.

DRY VERZENAY MOUSSEUX.
Quarts.....\$17 per Case of 1 doz.
Pints.....\$18 " of 2 doz.

MEYER & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, August 21, 1879. 21Feb80

WASHING BOOKS.
(In English and Chinese.)
WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.

CHINA MAIL OFFICE.

For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

BEG to announce that they have added to their Business A PIANO TUNING and REPAIRING DEPARTMENT, under the Superintendence of Mr. DOUGLAS DALE, who has been sent to them by Messrs JOHN BROADWOOD & SONS of London; they are now prepared to receive Orders which shall be carefully and efficiently attended to.

THE FOLLOWING ARE FOR SALE, EX RECENT ARRIVALS.

DRAW SHELL HATS for the RACES.
New Shapes in CHRISTY'S HATS.
Latest NOVELTIES in SCARFS.
SHIRTS with COLLARS attached.
Cardigan JACKETS.
French KID GLOVES, 2 Buttons.
Single and Double SOLE BOOTS.
GAN'S FRENCH SHOES.
Waterproof SHEETING for Racing Pontoons.

Playing CARDS. Whist MARKERS.
Electro-plated TELESOPES. Maltese CIGARETTES.
Carriage LAMPS. Billiard BALLS.
QUOITS. VALISES. Iron and Brass BEDSTEADS.
The New Wire Spring MATTRESSES. Coir DOOR MATS.

Spirit FLASKS. Household SCALES.
Merino and Cashmere SOCKS, and UNDERSHIRTS.
Royal Irish Constabulary REVOLVERS.
Foster's Celebrated Bottled ALE and STOUT.
SACONNE'S SHERRIES.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880. ma2

LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

Mrs BRASSEY'S STORM AND CLOUD IN THE EAST.
LEGGE'S SACRED BOOKS OF THE EAST.
TENNYSON'S SONGS, set to Music by various Composers.
MACKENZIE'S HISTORY OF 19th CENTURY.

CARPENTER'S PHYSIOLOGY, New Edition.
Capt. BARRY'S FIFTY YEARS COLONIAL EXPERIENCES.
MARKHAM'S ARCTIC EXPLORATIONS.
SELECTIONS from the WORKS of Dr. NEWMAN.

THE GERMAN ARCTIC EXPEDITION.
AYRTON'S CHILD LIFE IN JAPAN.
HOFFMAN'S (Prof.) DRAWING ROOM AMUSEMENTS.
ARMATAGE'S HORSE DOCTOR.

STANLEY'S THROUGH THE DARK CONTINENT—Cheap Edition.
BURGH'S MARINE ENGINEERING.
THE MECHANICIAN, a Treatise on Tools and Tool Making.
SPALDING'S ELIZABETHAN DEMONOLOGY.

WATERTON'S WANDERINGS IN SOUTH AMERICA.
RUSSELL'S WORKS.
TALES FROM BLACKWOOD, Complete in 12 uniform Vols., cloth gilt.
EASTLAK'S HINTS ON HOUSEHOLD TASTE.

HUNTER'S ENCYCLOPEDIA DICTIONARY, Part I.
NEW BIRTHDAY ALBUMS—"THE WEDDING," "THE CARLYLE," "THE RED LETTER," &c.
CALDECOTT'S NEW TOY BOOK.
BON GAULTIER'S BALLADS—New Edition.

NEW MUSIC.
BOOSEY'S SONGS OF ENGLAND, SONGS OF SCOTLAND, SONGS OF IRELAND, &c., Cloth or Paper.
CHOPIN'S WALTZES, OPERATIC GEMS, SACRED SONGS, NEW DANCE MUSIC, NEW SONGS.

ALSO, JUST RECEIVED.
A Selection of WALNUT WOOD WRITING DESKS, Lined with VELVET & LEATHER.
TOURIST'S WRITING CASES, fitted.
STATIONERY CASES—INKSTANDS.
New Designs in ILLUSTRATED ALBUMS.
MATHEMATICAL INSTRUMENTS, in Boxes.
ENVELOPE CASES and BLOTTERS. PURSES.
CIGAR & CIGARETTE CASES. POCKET KNIVES.
WINSOR & NEWTON'S COLOURS.
BALLE MASQUE STATIONERY—THE ACADEMY NOTE PAPER. THE ACADEMY VISITING CARDS.
3,000 NEW TAUCHNITZ VOLUMES.

KELLY & WALSH.
Hongkong, February 13, 1880. fe27

FOR SALE.
TOWNS AND CITIES OF CHINA; A DICTIONARY OF REFERENCES.
By G. M. H. FLATMAN.
PRICE, 50 PER COPY BOUND.
Apply to Messrs NORONHA & Co.,
"LANE, CRAWFORD & Co."
"KELLY & WALSH."
Hongkong, February 16, 1880. fe29

THE FOLK-LORE OF CHINA; and its Affinities with THAT OF THE ARYAN AND SEMITIC RACES.
By N. B. DENNIS, Ph.D., F.R.G.S.
Paper, HALF BOUND, \$2.00.
KELLY & WALSH, Hongkong.

FOR SALE.
JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.
Quarts.....\$16 per 1 doz. Case.
Pints.....\$17 per 2 doz.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

Auctions.
PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
TO BE SOLD as a going Concern, on a DAY to be hereafter fixed in the Month of April next, (unless previously disposed of by Private Contract, and subject to withdrawal by the Vendor for any other reason of which due Notice will be given), THE BUSINESS OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPWRIGHTS, lately Carried on by Messrs J. INGLE & Co., known as the VICTORIA FOUNDRY, and situated at SPRING GARDENS, Victoria. Together with all the PLANT, MACHINERY, TRADE FIXTURES and FITTINGS, STEAM LAUNCHES, and STOCK-IN-TRADE, and including the Good-will, and all Existing Contracts and Engagements.

For further Particulars, apply to
SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON,
Solicitors for the Mortgagees.
Supreme Court House,
17th February, 1880.

TO LET.
TO BE LET, on Lease for BUILDING, a Piece of GRASSLAND, containing about 10,000 square Feet, situate in GARDEN, on Island Lot No. 199, commanding a good view of the harbour.
Apply to
BREITON & WOTTON,
Solicitors, 20, Queen's Road.
Hongkong, February 4, 1880.

TO LET.
FOREIGN HOUSES, containing Six Rooms and OUT-HOUSES; Also, CHINESE SHOPS and HOUSES in the HOLLYWOOD ROAD.
Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, January 26, 1880.

TO LET.
FOUR-STORY HOUSES in Hollywood Road.
A HOUSE in Lyndhurst Terrace.
Apply to
E. R. BELLIOS.
Hongkong, December 27, 1879.

TO LET.
A FIRST-CLASS STONE FLOORED GODOWN, Situated upon MARINE LOT 10.
Also, the Two HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 16, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation of the TEMERARIES ROAD.
Apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, February 7, 1880.

TO LET.
ON MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS.
Apply to
MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

FOR SALE.
THE FURNISHINGS, FIXTURES, STOCK-IN-TRADE and GOOD-WILL of the well-known and prosperous Business at present Carried on by Mr. ANDREW WOLFE at
THE BRITISH HOTEL.
Full Particulars will be given on Application.
Hongkong, January 23, 1880.

Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL.

THE HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB will perform
THE SERIO-COMIC DRAMA, in Two Acts, by JOHN OXFORD, Esq., entitled
"THE PORTER'S KNOT,"
And the 2ND ACT of SHERRIDAN'S FARCE, entitled
"THE CRITIC,"
at the
CITY HALL THEATRE,
on
the EVENING OF WEDNESDAY,
the 3rd March.

Admission (by Tickets only) \$2. Tickets may be obtained and placed secured at Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, on and after WEDNESDAY, 25th Instant. Doors open at 8.30 p.m.; Performance to commence at 9 punctually.
Hongkong, February 21, 1880. ma3

Intimations.
HONGKONG WARE & GODOWNS.
GOODS RECEIVED on STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch. Also entire GODOWNS to be let.
MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, February 2, 1880. ma2

G. FALCONER & Co.,
WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS,
AND JEWELLERS.
NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS.
48, Queen's Road Central.
Hongkong, February 20, 1880. ma20

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.
REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1866, AND THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1877.
CAPITAL \$500,000, DIVIDED INTO 5,000 SHARES OF \$100 EACH (FULLY PAID UP).
General Agents,
Messrs RUSSELL & Co.
Directors,
WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, Esq.
J. A. DOS REMEDOS, Esq.
KWOK AOHONG, Esq.
C. VINCENT SMITH, Esq.

Bankers.
THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

Solicitors.
Messrs BREITON and WOTTON.
This Company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring from the Proprietors of the COSMOPOLITAN DOCK, their Dock and the Ground and Premises belonging thereto, with the Plant, Machinery, and Stock-in-Trade of the parties aforesaid, and the Business and Goodwill thereof, and of carrying on the Business of Shipwrights and Engineers in the Colony of Hongkong. For this purpose an absolute Assignment dated the 31st day of January, 1880, has been entered into by Messrs WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, FRANK BLAKEWELL FORBES, SAMUEL WILSON FORBES, JUNIOR, FREDERICK JOHN MURRAY FORBES, and FREDERICK DELANEO HIRSH, HENRY DE COVRY FORBES, and CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, Merchants, trading as RUSSELL & Co., as Trustees of WILLIAM BOLTON SPERRATT, ANDREW JOHNSTON, and NELSON SPERRATT, the owners of the said COSMOPOLITAN DOCK, with Messrs CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, and JESS ANTONIO DOS REMEDOS, Directors of the said Company, for the purchase of all the premises mentioned, without further confirmation, for the price or sum of \$500,000, subject to the condition that if the Stock-in-Trade consisting of Wood and Iron be not valued by a competent valuator at a sum not less than \$100,000, the said sum of \$500,000 shall abate accordingly. The COSMOPOLITAN DOCK is of sufficient dimensions to dock the largest Vessels afloat; it and the Plant and Machinery belonging thereto are now in perfect order. The Business of Building, Docking, Making, and Repairing Vessels is in full operation, so that the Company can at once enter upon active business, which it is expected will be highly remunerative. The Business of the Company will be conducted by Messrs RUSSELL & Co., as General Agents, assisted by a Board of Directors. About Four Thousand Shares have been already taken up, and it is intended that the Capital will be called up as follows:—\$75 per share on allotment. \$25 per share on the 1st day of May, 1880. All unpaid Capital after that date shall bear interest at 12 per cent. per annum. Application for Shares, which shall be in the annexed form, will be received by the Agents, up to the 15th day of April, 1880.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.
To Messrs RUSSELL & Co., General Agents.
GENTLEMEN,—
I hereby request that you will allot to Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to, and agree to pay the first Call of \$75 per share on allotment, and the second Call of \$25 per share on the 1st day of May, 1880, and to subscribe the Articles of Association when required to do so.
Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,
A.B.—Blank Form of Application for Shares may be had at the Office of the General Agents.

Intimations.

THE EASTERN EXTENSION AUSTRALIA & CHINA TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE LINES to PENANG, INDIA, EUROPE, AMERICA and AUSTRALASIA, are now kept Open Night and Day.

SINGAPORE, and Stations in JAVA and SUMATRA, are Open between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m., on Week-days and Sundays.

TELEGRAMS for COCHIN-CHINA are sent on Week-days, at 8.40 a.m., 10.10 a.m., 12.40 p.m., 3.45 p.m. and 5.40 p.m. On Sundays, at 7.40 a.m., 9.10 a.m., 2.40 p.m. and 5.10 p.m.

HONGKONG OFFICES, MARINE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.—Always Open.
J. ENSTON SQUIER,
Superintendent.
February 17, 1880. fe25

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Year ending 31st December last, at the rate of (£1) ONE POUND STERLING per Share of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, the 16th Current, at the Office of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants. By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, February 14, 1880. mal

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE Ordinary Annual MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents, on FRIDAY, the 6th day of March next, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1879.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.
Hongkong, February 14, 1880. ma5

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE.
THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th February current to 6th March next, both days inclusive.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.
Hongkong, February 14, 1880. ma5

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in an Account of business contributed during the Half-Year ended 31st December, 1879, on or before MARCH 31st, on which Date the Accounts will be Closed.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
D. GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, February 21, 1880. apl

DENTAL NOTICE.
DR. ROGERS has returned and is now ready to RECEIVE PATIENTS.—No. 7, ARBUTHNOT ROAD.
Hongkong, December 8, 1879.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
MR. F. KLAMPERMEYER has REMOVED to his new PREMISES, No. 63, PRAYA CENTRAL, close to the Canton Wharf.
The Patronage of the Community is most respectfully solicited.
F. KLAMPERMEYER.
Hongkong, January 24, 1880.

ORIENTAL HOTEL.
TWO NEW BUILDING ALLEYS HAVE BEEN LAID.
ACCOMMODATION FOR BOARDERS AND FAMILIES.
WINE AND SPIRITS OF THE BEST QUALITY.
J. F. SHUSTER, Proprietor.
Hongkong, January 23, 1880.

COSMOPOLITAN DOCKS.
W. B. SPERRATT & Co. have lately added an Extensive MACHINE SHOP and other APPLIANCES to the former Advantages of these Docks.
The DIMENSIONS of the DOCK are:—460 Feet, on the Blocks; 92 Feet Wide; Ordinary Tides, 21 Feet; Spring Tides, 24 Feet. Office, 20, PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG.
Hongkong, October 4, 1879. 40c80

SAILORS' HOME.
ANY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point.
Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

BRITISH BARK "LUZIA" FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in the Bills of Lading to the Under-signed for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense.
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, February 7, 1880. tt

Shipping.

FOR HONGKONG, PAKHOI AND HAIPHONG.

The Steamship "Hainan," Captain CONNER, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 24th Instant, at 1 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, February 20, 1880. fe24

FOR SHANGHAI.
The Steamship "Ping On," Captain McCASLIN, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, February 21, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR SHANGHAI.
(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSE.)
The Co.'s Steamship "Nestor," Capt. T. W. FREEMAN, will be despatched on or about the 23rd Instant.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, February 20, 1880.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.
The Steamship "Clematis," Capt. J. H. BUTLER, will be despatched on or about the 3rd Proximo.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, February 18, 1880.

FOR LONDON.
The Steamship "Glenlyne," Capt. QUARTY, will be despatched as above on or about the 22nd Instant.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, February 11, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR LONDON VIA SUZ CANAL.
The Co.'s Steamship "Prism," Captain S. H. BUTLER, will be despatched on or about the 3rd Proximo.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, February 18, 1880.

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Notices to Consignees.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. *Cairnmuir* having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at Messrs. Nourse & Co.'s Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained. Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be sent to the Undersigned for countersignature.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 21, 1880. f229

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. *Glennary* having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods—being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.

The *Glennary* brings through Cargo ex *Australia* and *Albatross* from New York. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 2 p.m. To-day.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 27th instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, February 20, 1880. f227

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

S. S. A. V. A.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. *Euphrate*, from London, in connection with the above Steamers, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Consignees' Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 2 p.m. To-day, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining undelivered after Wednesday, the 25th instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, February 18, 1880. f225

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex Yangtze.

M. G. No. 904, 925, Mr. A. d'Argence, 2 cases Tobacco, from Marseilles.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, February 12, 1880.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be responsible for any Debts contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

PRINCE FREDERICK, British ship, Capt. John O'Leary.—Vogel & Co.

MAJESTIC, American barque, Capt. Francis Hall.—Caplain.

ALICE REED, American barque, Captain Killen.—Vogel & Co.

MINSTER, British barque, Capt. P. T. Clark.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

CHATEAUBRIAND, French barque, Captain Leroy.—Carlowitz & Co.

DIABLO, American barque, Captain H. Staps.—Adamson, Bell & Co.

CARRISMA, British steamer, Capt. G. L. Castle.—Holliday, Wise & Co.

To-day's Advertisements.

THE S. S. *NIGATA MARU*, Capt. Walker, due here on the 1st March, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 6th March, at Daylight.

Cargo received on board and parcels at the Office up to 5 p.m. of 5th March.

No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 Freight.

All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they will not be recognized.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

To Kobe..... Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15.

" Yokohama & Co. \$75. Do. \$20.

A Reduction is made on RETURN CARRY PASSAGES.

Cargo and Passengers for Nagasaki will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at Kobe.

For further Particulars, apply at the Company's Offices, No. 504, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, February 23, 1880. m26

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. *Lydia*, Captain P. Paulsen, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 9 a.m. To-morrow.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 29th instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 23, 1880. f229

To-day's Advertisements.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,

HAVE JUST LANDED

AN INVOICE OF JOSHUA ROBERTS & SONS' BEST CUTLERY,

Comprising:—

Table Knives.

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Cunningham's Patent Penknives.

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LATEST NOVELTIES AND OFFICE REQUISITES.

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Macaulay's "History of England."

Do. "Critical and Historical Essays."

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"Voyage of the Challenger."

Boston's "All about Gardening."

Hayden's "Dictionary of Science."

"Cabinet Lawyer."

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To-day's Advertisements.

Chinese Imperial Government Loan 1877.

5th DRAWING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in conformity with the stipulation contained in the bonds of this Loan, the following numbers of Bonds to be paid off at par, on the 29th of February next, when the interest thereon will cease, were this day Drawn at the Offices of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, 31 Lombard Street, E.C., in the presence of Mr. GEORGE HENRY BURNETT, Accountant of the said Corporation, and of the undersigned Notary.

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48 1638 3259 4865 6478 8092 9704 11292 12906 14535

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105 1668 3283 4894 6507 8129 9739 11300 12914 14591

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132 1684 3300 4910 6524 8145 9755 11304 12918 14619

151 1694 3310 4920 6534 8155 9765 11306 12920 14633

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290 1896 3514 5116 6724 8352 9956 11569 13181 14795

319 1901 3540 5145 6761 8371 9980 11580 13189 14808

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368 1984 3583 5194 6805 8417 10026 11647 13248 14860

387 1991 3603 5219 6819 8442 10051 11662 13261 14873

399 2005 3613 5228 6836 8462 10056 11668 13268 14887

407 2020 3634 5240 6853 8469 10075 11673 13283 14898

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465 2085 3733 5303 6904 8516 10129 11733 13294 14953

479 2092 3701 5313 6927 8537 10137 11751 13292 14968

498 2107 3715 5334 6941 8548 10181 11761 13304 14993

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540 2152 3767 5369 6977 8583 10204 11803 13415 15025

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559 2180 3785 5396 7006 8601 10231 11836 13434 15049

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AUSTRALIA.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
Nizam, Captain A. E. Barlow, will
leave this on WEDNESDAY, the 25th
Instant, at 11 p.m.

Tea and General Cargo for London will
be conveyed via Bombay, and there trans-
hipped, arriving one week later than by
direct route. Silk and Valuables will be
transferred to the Calcutta steamer at
Galle.

For further Particulars, apply to
A. McIVER, Superintendent,
Hongkong, February 13, 1880. fe25

Occidental & Oriental Steam-
Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND
PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED
STATES AND EUROPE,
IN CONNECTION WITH THE
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RAILROAD COMPANIES
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THE S. S. BELGIC will be despatched
for San Francisco via Yokohama,
on SATURDAY, 28th February, 1880,
at 1 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for
Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central
and South America, and Europe.

Freight will be received on Board until
4 p.m. of the 27th February. PARCEL
PACKAGES will be received at the Office
until 6 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages
should be marked to address in full; value
of same to be declared.

A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PAS-
SAGE TICKETS.
Consular invoices to accompany Over-
land, Mexican, Central and South American
Cargo, should be sent to the Company's
Office addressed to the Collector of Customs,
San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight
or Passage, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.
G. B. EMORY, Agent.
Hongkong, February 19, 1880. fe28

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.

STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
POINT DE GALLE,
ADEN, SUZ, ISMAILIA, PORT
SAID, NAPLES, AND
MARSEILLES.

Also,
PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA
AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 3rd March,
1880, at Noon, the Company's S. S.
YANGTSE, Commandant CHAMBERLAIN,
with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,
and CARGO, will leave this Port for the
above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for
London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-
cepted in transit through Marseilles for
the principal places of Europe.
Shipping Orders will be granted until
Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until
4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on
the 2nd March, 1880. (Parcels are not to
be sent on board; they must be left
at the Agency's Office.)
Contents and value of Packages are re-
quired.

For further particulars, apply at the
Company's Office.
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, February 19, 1880. ms3

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Hongkong, January 31, 1880.

Insurances.

YANGTSE INSURANCE
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CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....£420,000
PERMANENT RESERVE.....£230,000
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....£206,370

TOTAL CAPITAL AND AC-
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RUSSELL & Co.,
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Hongkong, October 1, 1879. Loc90

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INSURANCES against FIRE granted at
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INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER
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THE Undersigned having been appointed
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Policies at current rates payable either
here, in London or at the principal Ports
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.
Policies issued for long or short periods at
current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed.
Life Department.
Policies issued for sums not exceeding
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
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AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of
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NO CHARGES FOR POLICY FEES.
JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

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NOTICE.

POLICIES granted at current rates on
Marine Risks to all parts of the World.
In accordance with the Company's Articles
of Association, Two Thirds of the Profit,
are distributed annually to Contributors
whether Shareholders or not, in proportion
to the net amount of Premium contributed
by each, the remaining third being carried
to Reserve Fund.

J. BRADLEE SMITH,
Secretary.
Hongkong, December 9, 1878.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant
Policies against Fire to the extent of
£45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored
therein, at current local rates, subject to a
Discount of 20 % on the Premium.

NORTON & Co.,
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Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

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COMPANY.

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CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms
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Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors
for their decision.
If required, permission to be granted on
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, terms of pro-
posals or any other information, apply to
ARNOLD, KARBERG & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

Insurances.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above
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MELCHERS & Co.,
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Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

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Hongkong, October 15, 1868.

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extent of £10,000 on any Building, or
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Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

Intimations.

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NOTICE.

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CHUN AYIN.
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Intimations.

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ter in hand. It is desirable to state the
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Trübner's Oriental Record contains the fol-
lowing notice of the China Review:—"This
is the title of a publication, the first number
of which has lately reached us from Hong-
kong, where it has been seen for the first
time. It is a continuation of Notes and
Queries on China and Japan, the extinction
of which would be a great loss to all who
have much interest in the Far East as well
as in China. The present publication, judging
by the number now before us, is intended to
occupy a position, as regards China and the
neighbouring countries, somewhat similar
to that which has been filled in India by the
Orientalist. The great degree of atten-
tion that has been bestowed of late years
upon the investigation of Chinese history,
antiquities, and social developments, has led
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able; and contributions of much interest
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of the foreign consular services, the Chinese
Customs' corps, and the missionary body,
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and who are severally represented in the first
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creditable to their respective authorities. In
a paper on 'Dr. Legge's She An,' by the
Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of
honour is deservedly given, an excellent
summary is presented of the chronological
problems and arguments involved in con-
nexion with this important work. Some
translations from Chinese novels and plays
are marked by both originality and freshness
of style; and on account of the career of
the Chinese post-stateman of the eleventh
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Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
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6. From Poddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
8. From Pier to East Point.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor- age.	Flag and Reg.	Tonn.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers							
America	7	c Mooney	Brit.	562	Feb. 21	Birley & Co.	
Atholl	8	c Thompson	Brit.	522	Feb. 21	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
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Chinkiang	4	c Orr	Brit.	799	Feb. 21	Stensen & Co.	
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Dale	2	c Thompson	Brit.	522	Feb. 21	Yuen Fat Hong	
Danube	3	c Clancy	Brit.	591	Feb. 21	19 Yuen Fat Hong	
Diamond	5	c Cullen	Brit.	614	Feb. 21	23 Russell & Co.	
Emeralda	5	c Falbot	Brit.	395	Feb. 21	18 Russell & Co.	
Glennara	4	c Stopped	Brit.	117		H. K. & W'pon Dock Co.	
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